

LOVE STORY STARTED IN 'THE PEOPLE'...

Bride He Won In A 'Lucky Dip'

BY A "PEOPLE" REPORTER

Birmingham, Saturday.

FOR eight long years Gunner William Armstrong dreamed of a girl he had never met. A regular soldier, he roamed the world, and wherever he went—India, Egypt, Libya, Eritrea, up and down the Western Desert, and finally in P.O. camps in Italy and Germany—her photograph was with him.

Today his dreams came true. Here, in the parish church near her home, the girl of the photograph stood beside him at the altar and said "I will." It was the happy ending to a remarkable love story, a story which began with a small paragraph in "The People" in 1938—an appeal by a lonely soldier, serving in India, for someone to write to him.

The response was so overwhelming that all parts of the world that the original lonely soldier had answer only a fraction of the letters, so other lonely soldiers in the regiment helped him out. Gunner Armstrong was among them. He picked out the letter with the nearest handwriting. It came from a Miss Phyllis Packer, of Birmingham.

And that, Miss Packer (Mrs. Armstrong since noon today) told me, "is how it all started. She says he won in a lucky dip."

THEIR PLEDGE. They pledged to wait for each other, "as time dragged on." "I realised it was not for me to hold to a promise for so long," said Miss Packer. "I cooked up a story, and our ship came to an end during the war."

But last year Armstrong was released and six months ago, nearly eight years after that original letter—the two met for the first time. We knew each other straight away," says Phyllis. "I may say the new beginning—C. H. R."

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FOOD FACTS

DRIED EGGS RETURN You can buy dried eggs again, and now they are on ration. The price is 1s. 6d. There will be extra points to help you to get these dried eggs. But to prevent too great a run on supplies at the start, these extra points will not be given until the next four-week period beginning after that date when the extra points each alternate period.

EXTRA SWEETS The sweet ration is increased from 12 oz. to 14 oz. The four "D" coupons will be worth half a point each, and the four "E" coupons three points each. You will help the shopkeeper by spending two half-point "D" coupons at one time.

EXTRA SUGAR During the four-week period beginning June 23rd 1 lb. of sugar for jam making will be allowed on each Ration Book. From June 23rd the two ration stamps will be reduced each four-week period. "K" coupons in But General Book (R.B.1.) and Blue Junior Book (R.B.4.) 4/50 ONE Ration; 1/12 TWO Rations.

REDUCTION IN SOAP RATION From June 23rd the soap ration will be reduced each four-week period. "K" coupons in But General Book (R.B.1.) and Blue Junior Book (R.B.4.) 4/50 ONE Ration; 1/12 TWO Rations.

GOING ON HOLIDAY? What to do about Ration Books which have a catering licence, you merely have to present your Ration Book to the manager. You do not need a temporary Ration Card.

But if you are staying at a house where there is no catering licence—that is, with friends or at board and lodging houses—you must go to the Food Office and get a temporary Ration Card (R.B.13).

You may save yourself trouble by enquiring beforehand whether or not the name of your house is listed in the Ministry of Food. If you find you need a temporary Card, it will probably be convenient to get it from your local Food Office before you go away.

POINTS NEWS PERIOD No. 13

June 23 to July 20
NO CHANGE IN POINTS COUPON VALUES: A—1, B—2, C—3. Total 24
SWEETS—Chocolate and sweet ration is increased by 2 ozs. for each four week period.

Personal Points Coupon Values: D—1, E—3.
Breakfast Cereal—New: Mac's Puffed Wheat—1 oz. each, 2 points.
THE MINISTRY OF FOOD, LONDON, W.1. FOOD FACTS No. 311

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Are you, eager, fit young man, with a keen sense of duty, who affects YOU? Conditions in Britain's regular army are being vastly improved. With rewards, status and prospects second to none of any other calling. Do YOU want a life with adventure, travel, comradeship with training, a skilled craftsmanship and professional education? You want a job with security—free pensions—good living conditions—good sport—good prospects? Then the modern regular army is the place for you. Study the panel on the right now. Then—
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FINISHING TOUCH!

Proudly, confidently, Canadian father Sgt. Macdonald (44th Highlanders of Canada) prepares his little daughter, Ann Marie—sixteen months old—for the "Bonny Baby Show" held at Acorn yesterday.



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Life Has Been So Good To Him

GAVE A MILLION TO SEE OTHERS HAPPY

FROM "PEOPLE" REPORTER ALAN HOBY

Leeds, Saturday.

BECAUSE, in his own words, "life has been so good to me I want to make it good for others," Mr. Charles Bretherton, Yorkshire's No. 1 philanthropist, has given away more than £1,000,000 in his lifetime.

Because he grew to give and not grab this thrice-married big business boss has spent most of his 64 years aiding those who have been less fortunate.

The man who "put aside" £230,000 for the welfare work in towns where his firm has branches; who, during the war, lent the nation another quarter of a million pounds free of interest, to buy bombers; who, on the birth of his first child, put an extra £10 into the pockets of his 1,000 employees—because I was the happiest man alive—and eighteen months later, when his son was born, took out 1,000 savings certificates for his work-people, told me over the phone from his country home at Kirkham Abbey:

"I like to make friends with every one of my factory workers. If a man has done something for me I want to do something for him in return."

This week, Charles Ratcliffe Bretherton, country gentleman, J.P. and head of one of the largest independent chemical-manufacturing concerns in the country, "did something in return" when he sent out-eggs worth £200 of the company's ordinary stock to 100 workers who had completed twenty-five years' service with him.

"SHOULD GET IT BACK"

"I feel if a workman has been with me all this time he has contributed a great deal to the success of the business," he declared. "All that he has put in he should get back, and that is what I try to do."

But although Charles Bretherton has always had close at heart the welfare of his staff, although his ambition is to bring them still closer association with himself, he has also found other outlets for his money.

Outstanding donations which have well over £1,000,000 Mr. Bretherton has lavished on others are £70,000 to the National Council of Social Service; £25,000 to establish a laboratory in chemical engineering at Leeds University; £50,000 for a private nursing station at Brotherton, near Leeds; £10,000 to the University for Research; and his latest gift, a £200 grant to equip a dental school.

WITH A NECKLACE When, at the age of fifty-seven, his first child, Anne, was born, he was so delighted that he bought at a price reported to be £100,000 from Princess Nicholas of Greece (mother of the Duchess of Kent).

But money is not everything. Today Mr. Bretherton, who was the bulk of a £1,700,000 fortune by his uncle, the late Lord Bretherton, but who was never a member of the family, is still his little daughter's gran.

"I have temporarily lost the use of my right leg and arm," he told me, "but I am getting better. And he is still happy."

Your Winter Crops BY RICHARD SUDDELL
NOW is the time to plant out winter greens, broccoli, Brussels sprouts and cabbages. They take very little space and produce a lot of food. In fact, they thrive better in soil that is consolidated by a previous crop.

It is not necessary to have a little general fertilizer raked in the soil before planting. They make use of natural nitrogen fixed by roots of the peas.

SHOWERY weather has made it a little difficult to get the soil very effective as the weather has been so dry. The soil is still very dry and the plants will not grow so well as they should.

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STONE (Kent) Parish Council wants a part-time clerk who, for £100 a year, will "keep accounts, take minutes, collect rents, superintend and pay wages of groundmen, carry out all duties required of him, and provide a suitable room to be used as an office, for which the council will pay rent."

CONGRATULATIONS "THE PEOPLE" has pleasure today in offering congratulations to the following readers on the occasion of their wedding anniversaries:

GILDER-Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Howard, 10, St. George's, London, W.1. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Howard, 10, St. George's, London, W.1.

SILVER-Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith, 10, St. George's, London, W.1. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith, 10, St. George's, London, W.1.

DIAMOND-Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith, 10, St. George's, London, W.1. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith, 10, St. George's, London, W.1.

PLATINUM-Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith, 10, St. George's, London, W.1. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith, 10, St. George's, London, W.1.

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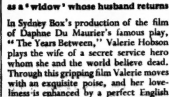
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8,500 Coupons—But Not A Thing To Buy

Special To "The People"
MR. S. GOODMAN, of Russell Square, London, has 8,500 clothing coupons and can't find anything to do with them.

Originally he had 9,000, but he spent 500 in buying 30 utility raincoats. Between the coupons and the raincoats there lies a story.

Mr. Goodman is a disabled ex-Serviceman. A few months ago he set up as a wholesale woollens merchant. The Board of Trade gave him the 9,000 coupons to start.

Then his troubles began. He travelled the country to find woollen goods to buy for resale. There were none to be had. Everywhere he found stories of quotas and rationing demands.

"My coupons were like gold on a desert island," he said. "I had 250 men's overcoats, never before realised how many different ways there are of using them."

Eventually he bought the 30 raincoats. Now they have been sold. And Mr. Goodman sits in an office, empty but for a desk, a typewriter and files of letters which begin: "Dear Sir—We are sorry—"

LAUNDRY COUPONS? A suggestion that laundry customers should surrender coupons is contained in a question to the Food Minister by Mr. J. Redman (Lab., Coventry West).

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Ministry Opens The Sheds

FOOD GIFTS ON WAY AT LAST

BY A "PEOPLE" REPORTER

THE Food-for-Britain parcels are on the move. After revelations in "The People" last Sunday that thousands of cases of gift foods had been lying neglected for several months in dockside warehouses, the Ministry of Food put its machinery for distribution into top gear.

Labels have been prepared and addressed by the Ministry and sent to the Royal Docks at North Woolwich to be attached to the cases there.

Squadron-Leader Carstairs listened to his account and was satisfied. The ship was to be sent back with a diagnosis: "Severe kidney trouble."

Thousands Wagered On Secret Fights

DOG-BATTLES IN A BARBER'S BACK ROOM

BY A "PEOPLE" REPORTER

BLOOD-MAD bull terriers circling and snarling in a barber's backroom... whistled, steel-toed and fighting cocks battling to the death in some out-of-the-way hole... men and women stake pounds as if they were pence.

This is not a scene from some medieval print. It is not a last-century picture of high-gambling Regency bucks. It is a place on behind locked doors in out-of-the-way basements and barns throughout the British Isles now.

Secret groups behind the revival of dog-fighting include a mixed fraternity of professional punters, dog followers and crooks. All gamble in big money.

Typical of one of the hush-hush rendezvous where the matches take place is an innocent-looking hairdresser's shop in South London.

Here, while customers were being shaved in the front saloon, a few dozens of fans squeeze into a smoky back-room to watch two dogs do their best to devour each other.

AT BACK DOOR
Animals that had been groomed for 24 hours—killed and starved—pitched—arrived in cars and were smuggled through the back entrance.

In little more than an hour £100 changed hands. People betted from £1 to £100 on a single dog fight. The evening was over five dogs had been killed by their owners and backers, mailed their way to a fortune.

"It is one of the most nauseating spectacles I have ever seen," one man said to me. "Duration of the fights is from two to four hours. The cage is only baited when one animal gets the death-grip" and the victim is in danger of being killed.

The "handlers" or seconds, who wear long leather gauntlets, often have to throw pepper or water into the eyes of the snapping, whirling mass of beasts savagery in the ring before the dogs will release their hold.

The dogs concerned are far too valuable an investment to be allowed to die.

Only pedigree animals are used. Cross breeds are no good for this type of all-in fighting. I was told. In nearly every case they are Staffordshire bull terriers—the most vicious fighting machine on four legs.

Once in the sanded arena the contestants manœuvre warily. Their aim is to work into a

position where they can use the shoulder charge to try to bowl the other over. Then down, ripping, tearing and slashing, searching for the jugular vein and the "kill."

"THEY ARE FINISHED"

"These brindle terriers will fight till they drop," one owner said to me. But after half-dozen fights they are generally so badly whipped that they are finished.

The terriers are bought as puppies of six months old by men posing as dog fanciers. They hunt the dog shows and are willing to pay up to £50 for a thoroughbred.

From them on they lead it a "dog's life" in the most literal sense.

The animal is kept in a basement or cellar. All its fighting instincts are heightened by a lavish diet of raw meat and daily workouts with its owner who uses boxing gloves.

"We know that dog fighting is going on in Britain," an R.C.A. changed hands. People betted from £1 to £100 on a single dog fight. The evening was over five dogs had been killed by their owners and backers, mailed their way to a fortune.

Meanwhile, the bloodthirsty cock-fighters are being revived in the North and in Ireland. The matches are in spartan-fit gamecocks, armed with 14-in. spurs, tore into one another while the cheering, shouting crowd pumped heavily.

In a quarter of an hour a dozen birds were maimed or killed. The feathered furies are roused to an appalling degree of savagery by a diet of champagne, port wine, raw eggs, calcium, iodine and Vitamin B.

Mr. Keith Robinson, secretary of Our Dumb Friends League, told me: "I was told that undoubtedly coming back now that the war is over."

Worthy backers in the North often travel more than 100 miles to see a match. In the south, two birds massacre each other in the dawn light. A. H.

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More than thirty-three pieces were found—remarkably prehistoric—by a plough at Middenhall (Suffolk). The find is of the first importance," says experts. A treasure trove "inquest" is to be held.

East of 16 war-time tobacco "pennal" warehouses has been de-registered.

Firemen fighting a copra (coconut oil) house in Liverpool dock had to wear breathing apparatus.

HOUSE OF LORDS by Liberal president Lady Violet Bonham Carter (in a speech yesterday): "Cowards... terrified."

"Small" savings last week: £1,226,431. Previous week: £1,226,431.

Princess Elizabeth yesterday painted a picture of the commander of Dogmersfield Park, Basingstoke, grown from an acre of an oak planted in the same grounds by Queen Elizabeth 400 years ago.

Frenchwomen Fight Vice
If Paris vice-houses are not closed by September, the women of the city may take to the streets in a campaign until they are, said Marthe Richard, leader of the anti-vice campaign and member of the Paris Municipal Council, yesterday.

TUE Queen's Y-hat started a boom in the sale of the British ostrich-feather industry. Birds now sell for £60 a pair (£10 three years ago).

Rumour is afloat that a British timber and glass in exchange for wood, chemicals and machine tools.

Soviet authorities have banned an American Socialist newspaper for "slandering" the Red Army.

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